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PROGRAM FOR LABOR LEADERS, SEPTEMBER 12 - OCTOBER  
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REF: STATE 171709

WITH THE LIFTING OF THE EMERGENCY AND THE REMOVAL OF  
RESTRAINTS ON ORGANIZED LABOR, THE EMBASSY IS INTERESTED  
IN PROMOTING A MORE ACTIVE LABOR EXCHANGE PROGRAM. THE  
STUDY PROGRAM DESCRIBED REFTEL APPEARS TO BE APPROPRIATE  
FOR INDIAN UNIONISTS, AND WE WOULD LIKE TO NOMINATE  
CANDIDATES. HOWEVER, AS THE DEPARTMENT IS AWARE, AID  
HAS NO FUNDS ALLOCATED FOR SUCH TRAINING HERE, AND WE  
THEREFORE REQUEST FUNDING FROM THE OLAB ACCOUNT. IF IT  
IS POSSIBLE, WE WOULD LIKE TO SPONSOR CANDIDATES FROM  
THE TWO MAJOR NON-COMMUNIST FEDERATIONS, THE INTUC AND  
THE HMS. GIVEN THE SLOWNESS OF THE CLEARANCE PROCEDURE  
IN THE FOREIGN MINISTRY, WE WOULD APPRECIATE BEING  
INFORMED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WHETHER WASHINGTON FUNDS ARE  
AVAILABLE, AND IF SO WHETHER TWO SLOTS ARE POSSIBLE.  
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